

THE GAZETTE.

MONDAY EVENING, AUGUST 4.

SHOOK OFF A SHROUD FOR RUM.—Crape was hung at the door of John Brown's house, in Brantson, Ill., on Monday last to announce the death of Henry Mather. During his sickness the only nourishment that Mather could take was whiskey and water. He repeatedly begged for undiluted whiskey, but it was refused. After the doctor pronounced him dead he was laid out in the back parlor. At 3 o'clock in the morning an unusual noise was heard down stairs, and when Mr. Brown reached the parlor he was dumfounded to see Mather sitting up with a bottle of whiskey in his hand and a cigar in his mouth. "If you had given me this before I would have been better long ago," said Mather, (taking a drink from the bottle). Mather is now on a fair way to recover.

FISHING IN CHESAPEAKE BAY.—This summer the fishing has been very fine around the mouth of the Chesapeake bay. Sheephead have been scarce, but all the other varieties have been taken in great numbers. Along the channels around Smith's and Cobb's islands the sport is said to be unusually good. The bottom of the Chesapeake this year seems to be lined with crabs, and hundreds of barrels are shipped North every day. Great sport has been had taking what are known as "jumping mullets." They are taken after night and the sport is very exciting. They feed along the shore and are frightened by the light from the boats. As they leap some strike the boats, some land on the inside and a few go all the way over.

Democratic Congressional Convention. At a meeting of the Democratic Committee for the Eighth Congressional District of Virginia held in the city of Alexandria on the 20th day of June, 1890, the following resolutions were adopted:

1st. That a convention be held in Leesburg, Va., August 20th, 1890, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for congress from this district.

2d. That the basis of representation shall be one delegate for every one hundred and fraction over fifty votes cast for Governor McKinney.

3d. That the committee suggest that primaries for the selection of delegates to the convention be held in all the counties of the district on the same day, August 9th being recommended.

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5 PRIZES OF \$2,000.00..... 10,000

10 PRIZES OF \$1,000.00..... 10,000

20 PRIZES OF \$500.00..... 10,000

20 PRIZES OF \$200.00..... 4,000

500 PRIZES OF \$100.00..... 50,000

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